

Criterion B - Communication

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You have not reached a standard described by any of the other descriptors	<p>You rarely use scientific language.</p> <p>You use communication modes, such as verbal, visual and communication formats with limited effectiveness.</p>	<p>You use scientific language correctly, with limited range.</p> <p>You use appropriate communication modes, such as verbal, visual and communication formats with some effectiveness.</p>	<p>You use a wide range of scientific language correctly.</p> <p>You use appropriate communication modes, such as verbal, visual and communication formats effectively.</p>

Criterion C – Knowledge and Understanding

0	1 – 2	3 – 4	5 - 6
You have not reached a standard described by any of the other descriptors	<p>You recall some scientific knowledge.</p> <p>You apply scientific understanding to solve simple problems.</p>	<p>You recall scientific knowledge and use scientific understanding to construct simple scientific explanations.</p> <p>You apply scientific knowledge and understanding to solve problems in familiar situations.</p>	<p>You recall scientific knowledge and use scientific understanding to construct scientific explanations.</p> <p>You apply scientific knowledge and understanding to solve problems in familiar and unfamiliar situations.</p>